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Sir:

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Examiner is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08a. A copy of the pending claims in U.S. Application Nos. 11/481508, 11/772501, 11/772504, 11/772511, 11/772515, 11/772520, 11/772556, 11/772560, 11/844431, 11/844432, 11/841489, 10/566302, and 11/909120 are enclosed. The other documents listed are U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications.

It is believed that no fee, other than the fee for consideration of an information disclosure statement, is required in connection with the filing of this Statement. If any additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1677.

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